

The Board of Public Works met at the Governor's Office, Feb. 24, 1916.

Present: Governor Harrington, Treasurer Dennis and Comptroller McMullen.

Minutes of the meeting of Feb. 1, 1916, were read and approved.

A letter from William S. Richardson concerning violations of the oyster and fish laws was read and letter from Mr. McMullen communicating the same was laid before the Board. The Secretary notified the Board that the matter had been brought to the attention of the Commander of the State Fishery Force.

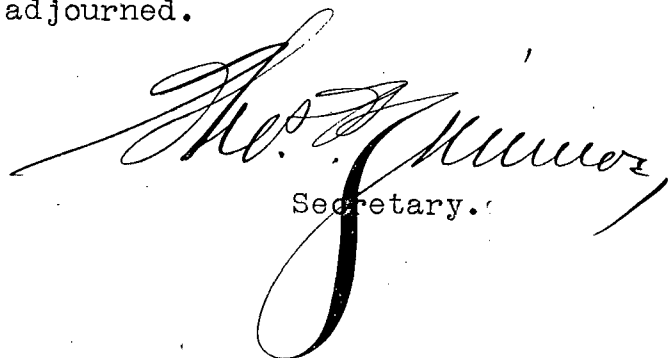
On motion, W. Mason Shehan was unanimously re-elected State Insurance Commission for four years, dating from the expiration of his present term of office.

The question of amending the Bill providing for an issue of 4% Maryland State bonds, to meet deficit existing in the State Treasury, so as to change the date of said proposed issue of bonds was considered, but no action was determined upon.

The question of borrowing money on the State's interest in the Northern Central Railway mortgage, as collateral, was also discussed.

The Governor advised consideration of the question as to whether or not the State had the power, under the constitution and laws of the State, to sell for cash, the State's interest in the mortgage of the Northern Central Railway Company. The question was discussed but not determined and was held for further consideration.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.


Secretary.